

local organization. He was later appointed as an international regional representative, leading operations across Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Mr. Stephenson has championed the IBEW's mission for decades, and his service and dedication have never wavered. As the new international President, I know he will continue to champion the causes important to electrical workers and working men and women across the globe.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to recognize Mr. Stephenson for his longtime commitment to the IBEW and wish him the best of luck in his new role. He has been an exceptional leader, and I know he will continue serving electrical workers, and all working families, everywhere for years to come.

IN RECOGNITION OF DR. WILLIAM
McCOY

HON. BOBBY L. RUSH

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2015

Mr. RUSH. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Dr. William McCoy on his 31 years of service as Chief Apostle and CEO of Brothers Keeper Community Outreach Church.

Dr. William McCoy, through his calling of spreading the word of God, has done great work for his community by way of his organization's involvement with kingdom building feats like jail ministry, and parole chaplaincy, which are just a couple of examples of his many deeds that shine as a beacon of hope for those in need.

Dr. McCoy began his pastoral career in 1986, serving first at God's House of Deliverance Holiness Church in 1989, and then he earned his Certificate of Ordination from the Pentecostal Apostolic Assemblies of Jesus Christ. In 1991, he graduated from the United Theological Seminary, and in 1993, Dr. McCoy received an Honorary Doctorate of Divinity from the Apostolic Baptist Seminary in Evansville, Indiana. In 1994, he was consecrated as the Presiding Prelate Bishop of IPAE and AIMBK by Bishop Lester P. Bell, and earned his Prison Fellowship Training Diploma. In 1995, Dr. McCoy earned his Doctorate of Philosophy in Pastoral Theology from the International College of Bible Theology.

The Brothers Keeper Community Outreach Church was created to call attention to the need for a message of deliverance from substance addictions, domestic abuse and other challenges plaguing the lives of some of God's children; the organization has done great work at conveying its belief in the importance of teaching deliverance through parole chaplaincy training, ministerial training and other outreach practices.

Dr. William McCoy has served his community outside of his work with the Brothers Keeper Community Outreach Church as well, some positions such as an Auxiliary Chaplain of the Cook County Sheriff Department since 1994; as a board member of the Cook County Jails Alternative Schools L.S.C., since 1997 and as the Superintendent Parole Chaplain of Cook County. In 2002 Dr. McCoy was elected to serve as President of the Illinois Community Chaplaincy Council, and in 2009, he became President of the South Suburban Action Con-

ference and became a member of the IPAE-NETWORK Cook County Sheriff's Department Re-Entry Initiative and the Advisory Board of Cook County Clergy United, Inc.

Dr. William McCoy in his many roles and his work with the Brothers Keeper Community Outreach Church has not only been inspirational, but vital to the life we live as both God's children and Americans.

I ask my colleagues to join me in congratulating Dr. William McCoy for his many years of dedicated service and wish him continued success and happiness in the future.

FOR ALL THE FATHERS

HON. PETE SESSIONS

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2015

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of all the Fathers of The Armed Forces who have served, or who have family members who have served. Let us remember their sacrifice, and give thanks to them and their families on this Father's Day. I submit this poem which was penned in their honor, by Albert Carey Caswell.

For all the Fathers this Father's Day
who go off to war for us we pray
And for all the ones who aren't coming home,
all because of what they gave
That Last Full Measure,
the greatest of all treasure's teaching us how
men of honor behave
Who take up our Nation's defense so very brave,
who now lie all in such cold deep dark quiet graves.
Whose sons and daughters will never see them again,
all for the price of freedom they paid
And for all the Fathers who went off to war,
for The Greater Good who such heartache endure

This Father's Day,
our Nation gives thanks to you and your families so all the more
And for all the families now separated across the shores.

Whose children cannot be in your arms in yours.

Remember my children how much your Father you adores

And for all those Fathers who raised all of their fine daughters and sons.

The ones who meant the most,
who'll no longer get to see the morning's sun.

And the chance to raise all of their own most precious daughters and sons.

And for all those Fathers who sit for hours by a hospital bed,
with all of their sons and daughters in pieces who died and bled

Watching them in awe at what their courage has said

As your tears run down your cheeks never seeming to ebb

Inspired by watching them rebuild their lives coming out of such dread

And yes for all of our Fathers this Father's Day,

upon bended knee for all of you we now so pray.

And remember to give thanks to all of them this day

For all of those most precious gifts for us the price of freedom they paid

And for all of their children in the coming years who stand on this day in tears.

Because their Daddy isn't coming home as they've realize their darkest fears

We pray our Lord give them the strength and courage,

in what your Father's life so meant here on earth to your souls so nourish

And to lead your life with the same kind of faith and courage,

that made your Fathers' hearts so flourish.

As we'll see your Fathers in all your faces.

And when we hear your voices to them you will so take us

And you will carry your Father's heart with you to all places.

To help you to somehow all to so face this

And we pray you will grow up to be strong and tall.

Just like your Fathers one and all

So one day too,

you can teach your children all about your Father's most heroic hue

All in such admiration, of what is brilliant, of what is true

And hush my children please don't you cry, because one day up in Heaven you will look into your Father's eyes

And you won't have to cry no more and ask why?

This Father's Day please, please remember all of those Fathers who answered our Nation's battle cry

America's greatest of all Fathers, who did not hesitate or ask why

This Father's Day, God Bless them all with tear in eye.

RECOGNIZING DR. CHIU L. TSANG
FOR HIS DEDICATED SERVICE TO
SANTA MONICA COLLEGE

HON. TED LIEU

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2015

Mr. TED LIEU of California. Mr. Speaker, today I rise with my colleague, Congresswoman JULIA BROWNLEY, to recognize Dr. Chiu L. Tsang, a progressive thinker, visionary leader, and passionate educator who has spent the majority of his career promoting excellence in education. For almost a decade, Dr. Tsang has demonstrated his insightful and exemplary leadership and dedication to Santa Monica College (SMC) as its Superintendent and President.

Throughout his nine years of service to the institution, Dr. Tsang was able to enhance SMC's reputation as a leading job trainer in the region by pursuing greater opportunities for students and anticipating the needs of the local workforce. During his tenure at SMC, Dr. Tsang pioneered an inter-disciplinary model to take advantage of thousands of job opportunities in the information, communication and technology industry for students. This model has now become the foundation for a Los Angeles-based community college, high school and industry consortium, "LA HI-TECH," which was recognized by President Obama as part of his TechHire Initiative.

Santa Monica College's student support culture also blossomed under the leadership of Dr. Tsang with the implementation of new student service programs such as the Veterans Resource Center and Guardian Scholars for foster youth. Furthermore, Dr. Tsang's leadership helped establish excellent and mutually-beneficial relationships with the City of Santa Monica, the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District and other local organizations.